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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION of:

Riku PULLI et al.,

Application No.: 10/686,681

Filed: October 17, 2003

FOR: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
AUTOMATIC LOADING OF DUMPER

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: Confirmation No.: 8300  
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: Group Art Unit: 3651  
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: Examiner: Prakasam, Ramya G.  
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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. ☒ Additional Papers Enclosed:  
☒ Amendment Accompanying Request for Continued Examination

2. Fees Calculation

(a) RCE Fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)

- ☒ \$790.00  
☐ \$395.00 (for small entity)

(b) Extension of Time

- ☒ Applicants petition for an extension of time for three (3) months, the fees for which are set out in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a). The extension of time fee due with this petition for extension of time is \$1,020.00,  
☒ An extension for one (1) month has already been secured and the fee paid therefore of \$ 120.00 is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension of time fee due with this request: **\$ 900.00**

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid	Present Extra	at Rate of	Total Fees
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(c))	20	minus	21	0	X \$50/\$25 each=	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(b))	2	minus	3	0	x \$100/\$50 each=	\$ 0.00
First presentation of Multiple dependent claim(s):					\$360/\$180	\$ 0.00
Fee for Request for Continued Examination						\$ 790.00
Fee for 2nd and 3rd Months Extension of Time						\$ 900.00
TOTAL FEE =						\$ 1,690.00

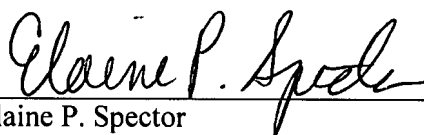
3. Fee Payment

- ☒ A check in the amount of **\$1,690.00** is enclosed for Request for Continued Examination Fee (\$790.00) and three-month extension of time fee (\$900.00).
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0573.

Respectfully Submitted,

Date: August 13, 2007  
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